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SUBJECT: LAW OF THE SEA.

TORONTO GLOBE AND MAIL, FEBRUARY 14, CARRIED FOLLOWING ARTICLE  
EXPRESSING PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE PARTY POLICY  
PROPOSAL ON LOS MATTER:

BEGIN TEXT

CANADA SHOULD UNILATERALLY EXTEND ITS TERRITORIAL CONTROL  
OF THE SEA TO AT LEAST 200 MILES IF IT FAILS TO GET AGREEMENT  
FROM OTHER COUNTRIES TO DO THIS AT THE NEXT UN LAW OF THE  
SEA CONFERENCE, A PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATION POLICY  
STATEMENT SAYS.

THE STATEMENT, RELEASED YESTERDAY, WILL BE VOTED ON BY  
DELEGATES AT THE PARTY'S GENERAL MEETING MARCH 17-19 IN OTTAWA.  
IT SAYS CONSERVATIONAL, MANAGERIAL AND REGULATORY CONTROL  
SHOULD BE EXTENDED TO THE EXTREMITIES OF THE CONTINENTAL  
SHELF, BUT IN ANY CASE NO LESS THAN 200 MILES. FOREIGN SHIPS  
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SHOULD REQUIRE CANADA'S PERMISSION TO FISH WITHIN SUCH LIMITS,

THE PAPER SAYS. CURRENTLY, FOREIGN FISHING VESSELS NEED PERMIS-  
SION ONLY IF THEY FISH WITHIN 12 MILES OF CANADA'S COAST.

A SECOND POLICY STATEMENT RELEASED YESTERDAY ON CANADIAN  
ECNOMIC INDEPENDENCE SUGGESTS THAT A PC GOVERNMENT WOULD ENCOURAGE  
CANADIAN CITIZENS TO ACQUIRE OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL OF AT LEAST  
ONE MAJOR PRODUCER IN EACH IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL SECTOR.

THE STATEMENT SAYS PUBLIC FUNDS SHOULD BE USED TO SUPPORT  
"A GRADUAL BUT MASSIVE INCREASE" IN INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOP-  
MENT  
UNDERTAKEN IN CANADA.

AS WELL, FOREIGN CAPITAL SHOULD CONTINUE TO BE WELCOME IN  
CANADA BUT THE EMPHASIS SHOULD SHIFT TO AN INFLOW OF DEBT  
OR PORTFOLIO CAPITAL RATHER THAN INCREASING FOREIGN  
OWNERSHIP FROM A FURTHER INCREASE IN EQUITY INVESTMENT.  
END TEXT.  
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